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1. DCM MET WITH V.M. KAMENTSEV, DEPUTY MINISTER OF FISHERIES AND PRINCIPAL SOVIET ICNAF COMMISSIONER, AUGUST 22 - THE EARLIEST OCCASION AN APPOINTMENT COULD BE ARRANGED - TO DELIVER AIDE MEMOIRE, AS REQUESTED REFTEL.

2. DCM REVIEWED MAIN POINTS OF U.S. POSITION AS PRESENTED IN AIDE MEMOIRE, AND STRESSED U.S. CONCERN THAT MONTREAL MEETING SUCCESSD WHERE ANNUAL MEETING HAD FAILED IN RESOLVING PRESSING ISSUES FACING ICNAF.

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3. KAMENTSEV EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE PRESENTATION OF

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THE U.S. POSITION WELL IN ADVANCE OF THE MONTREAL MEETING AND PROMISED THAT U.S. VIEW WOULD BE TAKEN INTO SERIOUS CONSIDERATION AS THE SOVIET POSITION IS DEVELOPED. KAMENTSEV DID NOT OFFER COMMENT ON SPECIFIC POINTS IN THE U.S.. PRESENTATION, INDICATING THAT VOLKHOV WOULD BE PREPARED TO TAKE THEM UP AT THE EXPERT'S MEETING PRECEDING THE MONTREAL SESSION. HE OBSERVED THAT THE SOVIET VIEW ON SOME OF THE POINTS IS NOT LIKELY TO CONCIDE WITH OURS, BUT ASSURED US THAT EFFORTS WOULD BE MADE TO CLOSE THE GAPS TO THE DEGREE POSSIBLE.

4. KAMENTSEV INTENDS TO TRAVEL TO MONTREAL TO HEAD THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO THE SPECIAL MEETING. VOLKHOV WILL GO ABOUT A WEEK EARLIER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PRELIMINARY CONSULTATIONS.
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